# **BEARFACTS** 1993 – 2003 Kay, Oklahoma [40071]

Kay is one of 77 counties in Oklahoma. It is part of the Ponca City, OK Micropolitan SA. Its 2003 population of 47,110 ranked 16th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Kay had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$25,024. This PCPI ranked 15th in the state and was 95 percent of the state average, \$26,457, and 79 percent of the national average, \$31,504. The 2003 PCPI reflected an increase of 1.6 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 2.3 percent and the national change was 2.2 percent. In 1993 the PCPI of Kay was \$19,081 and ranked 7th in the state. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Kay had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,178,881\*. This TPI ranked 14th in the state and accounted for 1.3 percent of the state total. In 1993 the TPI of Kay was \$934,814\* and ranked 12th in the state. The 2003 TPI reflected an increase of 0.7 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 2.7 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of TPI was 2.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 5.1 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Kay. In 2003 net earnings accounted for 59.3 percent of TPI (compared with 65.2 in 1993); dividends, interest, and rent were 20.5 percent (compared with 18.8 in 1993); and personal current transfer receipts were 20.2 percent (compared with 16.0 in 1993). From 2002 to 2003 net earnings increased 0.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 0.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.2 percent. From 1993 to 2003 net earnings increased on average 1.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.7 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Kay decreased from \$902,808\* in 2002 to \$885,244\* in 2003, a decrease of 1.9 percent. The 2002-2003 state change was 3.5 percent and the national change was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1993 estimate of \$747,061\* to the 2003 estimate was 1.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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